

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

Gedulin et al.

Appl. No.: 10/518,128

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For: Prevention and/or Treatment of
Inflammatory Bowel Disease Using
PYY or Agonists Thereof

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Examiner: Li, Ruixiang

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Amendment and Response under 37 C.F.R. § 1.113

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action dated January 19, 2007, in connection with the above-identified application. A petition for a one-month extension of time for responding to the Office Action, as well as the required extension fee, accompanies this response. A Notice of Appeal, including payment for the required notice of appeal fee, and a petition for a one-month extension of time for filing the Notice of Appeal, also accompany this response.

Applicants have given careful consideration to the grounds for rejection and objection. The following amendments and remarks are believed to place this application in condition for allowance, which is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.